

# AERIAL PLANS INCLUDE THE BUILDING OF MANY PLANES

Thirty-five Hundred Will Be Constructed For Army and Navy In First Year of War If Defense Council Suggestions Carry

## SIX THOUSAND AVIATORS ARE TO BEGIN TRAINING

Second Year Will See Double Number of Men and Machines If All Goes Well; Nation Wants Perfected Battle Aeroplanes

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WASHINGTON, May 21.—The comprehensive plan for building up a huge aviation service for the American army and navy within the next twelve months, on which the National Council of Defense has been at work for weeks has been completed and the results announced last night.

Thirty-five hundred aeroplanes of all makes and sorts will be constructed if the plan proves satisfactory to the army and navy authorities and is approved by the President, within the next year. It is planned to rush the work of constructing these machines with all possible rapidity and no money or pains will be spared to bring them up to the last minute in design and effectiveness. It is reported that the British and French air services have shipped models of their very latest machines to this country to serve as models by which our manufacturers can be guided in the construction of machines for our own use.

The plans of the council also include the establishment of nine great aviation fields fully equipped, which are to cost not less than one million dollars each.

While the machines are being constructed, the army and navy will be at work training aviators to handle them. In all it is suggested that the nation be prepared to begin at once the task of training between five and six thousand aviators by giving them a thorough grounding in the work of aviation and also instructing them in the specialized studies necessary to make a full fledged army or navy aviator.

The council also advises that the government provide legislation which will enable the authorities to proceed with the work at once and also that the numbers of planes and of aviators under training be doubled at the end of the first year and that in the second year of the war, should the struggle last that long, preparations for the construction of seven thousand aeroplanes and the training of twelve thousand aviators be made by congress.

It was also announced that arrangements for supporting a number of civilian colleges in the work of making aviators should be made at once by the government. Six civilian colleges are now ready to open four similar courses in aviation.

These are important steps in the work of preparing for the aerial warfare which we shall have to wage before we have overcome Germany, but the council points out that what is greatly needed is the ideal battle plane, large enough to go fully armored, swift enough to outdistance the speedy little planes of the Teuton armies and capable of complete military control.

## FRENCH TORPEDO BOATS ENGAGE GERMAN FLEET

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PARIS, May 21.—A squadron of French torpedo boats cruising off the French coast yesterday reported that it encountered a German fleet steaming southward. One vessel of our fleet was damaged in the running fight that followed, but all managed to reach port in safety.

# MASTER GERMANIC SPY CONVICTED

David Lamar and Henry Martin Found Equally Guilty With Captain von Rintelen

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

NEW YORK, May 21.—After having been out for more than twenty-four hours, the jury in the trial of Franz von Rintelen and six alleged fellow conspirators late yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of guilty against the "master spy" and guilty of the Kaiser, and Henry B. Martin and David Lamar, who have won the nickname of the "Wolf of Wall Street" by his financial deals.

The jury disagreed on the other five prisoners, who were Frank Buchanan, a former representative from Illinois and a representative in the house at the time of his indictment; H. Robert Fowler, also formerly a representative from Illinois; Frank S. Monnett, one-time attorney general of Ohio; Jacob C. Taylor of East Orange, New Jersey, formerly president of Labor's National Peace Council; and Henry J. Schultze.

Every trick of the law was employed to delay the trial the Americans fighting harder to avoid the consequences of their acts than the German naval captain, and spy.

So many were the efforts to force delay that at the end of the first day of the trial no jury had been obtained, all of the lawyers reserving until Monday for the exercise of their right of peremptory challenge of the men temporarily seated.

Despite the slowness with which the trial got under way, developments more sensational than any yet revealed in connection with the Prussian plots against this country are expected. All of the defendants are men widely known and their indictment more than a year ago produced a sensation that culminated in an attempt to have H. Snowden Marshall, United States Attorney for the district, removed from office.

The prisoners are accused of having conducted their alleged conspiracy against the United States, particularly through the medium of an organization known as Labor's National Peace Council.

## SENATE TO TAKE UP FOOD LEGISLATION

Leaders of Upper House Announce Efforts Will Be Made To Hurry Pending Measures

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—That the senate will take up for consideration the question of food legislation was made plain last night when leaders of the upper house announced that efforts would be made to hurry pending measures through the senate as speedily as possible. The house today probably will begin the work of debating the Revenue Bill.

The war budget and the shipping measures are expected to pass both houses this week as no delay will be permitted in getting them through the final stages of the legislative mill.

Senators and representatives alike agreed last night that the espionage measure, which is now in conference, probably will be passed this week.

## JUDGE LOVETT OFFERS SERVICE TO RED CROSS

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—Judge Robert Lovett, head of the United States Railroad system and chairman of the board of directors, has volunteered his services in any capacity the red cross authorities may see fit to make use of them during the continuance of the war. A formal statement to this effect was issued last night by Chairman Davidson, head of the red cross board of directors.

## PRESIDENT MENDOL BEGINS SECOND TERM IN OFFICE

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

HAVANA, May 21.—President Menocal took the oath of office for his second term yesterday, in the presence of a huge crowd.

## CHINESE OFFER TO BRING OVER COOLIES

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Officers of the Chinese Six Companies have telegraphed to officials in Washington offering to import half a million coolies from China for working the farms of the United States during the war, provided they are needed. The telegram guarantees that the coolies will be deported as soon after the war as necessary, should the government desire. In the message the companies declare that it is the wish of the managers to "do all that we can to hasten the spread of democracy throughout the world."

# SUBMARINE SCARE GROUNDLESS SAY AEROPLANE SCOUTS

Aviators Sent Out By Authorities At San Diego Bring Back Word That The Supposed German Diver Probably Was a Big Pacific Whale At Play

(Associated Press by Cable)

SAN DIEGO, May 21.—The flurry caused by the report that a submarine, seemingly headed north, had been seen off Point Loma, by outlooks at Fort Rosecrans, has died out following the unofficial statement from the officers sent out in aeroplanes by the authorities at North Island, where Uncle Sam has his biggest aviation station, to the effect that the supposed submarine probably was a whale. The air scouts flying from the aviation station searched the waters off shore for miles and reported seeing nothing that even faintly resembled a German diver, unless it might have been a few whales, sporting off the beach. The officers on their return declined to give out any statement until their official report had been filed, but unofficially they are reported to have declared that there is nothing in the story that a submarine had been seen off the coast.

## SPAIN SENDS FINAL NOTE TO GERMANY

Government of His Majesty Finds "It Incompatible" With Its Dignity To Transact Business

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

MADRID, May 21.—The Spanish government has reached the limit of its endurance with the high-handed ruthlessness of the German oligarchy, and has sent a formal and final note containing an ultimatum to Berlin.

This note, which deals with the unjustified and murderous attack by a German submarine upon the Spanish steamer Patricia, recalls the fact that previous notes addressed to the German government by the Madrid authorities have remained unanswered by Berlin.

The note then goes on to announce that the government of his majesty King Alfonso finds "it incompatible" with its dignity and the best interests of the nation over which it presides to "continue to transact further diplomatic business with Germany until replies have been received to the several notes."

## BRITISH RE-OPEN ATTACKS IN WEST

Begin Heavy Offensive Against the German Lines North of Town of Bullecourt

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

NEW YORK, May 21.—The British under the command of Field Marshal Haig have launched a new and powerful offensive north of Bullecourt, continuing their efforts to pinch out the German salient to the east of Arras and thus free Lens of the invader.

The fighting in that section yesterday was exceptionally heavy and the losses inflicted upon the Germans large. The British reported at night that they had successfully advanced in several places and at one sector of the line their infantry penetrated the Teuton trenches over a width of one mile, taking prisoners and guns. Desperate counter attacks by the Germans broke down under the British artillery fire.

Further south, where the German Crown Prince has been holding the line of the Aisne against the attacks of the French, the Germans attempted to smash through the French defense, but failed, with the loss of thousands of men.

On the eastern front the Germans attacked in massed formation the Russian positions in several parts of the long line, but were beaten back by the Russian artillery.

The Italians on the Gorizia front yesterday announced that fresh success attended their attacks upon the Austrian lines, and that they had captured numbers of prisoners.

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

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# ROOSEVELT GIVES UP ALL HOPE OF GOING TO FRONT

Former President Issued Statement In Which He Announces That Men Who Were Enrolled In His Division Should Prepare To Take Up Some Other Work

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

OYSTER BAY, Long Island, May 21.—Former President Roosevelt issued a statement at Sagamore Hill, his home near this place last night, in which he called upon the members of the so-called Roosevelt division to abandon all idea of going to the front under his command and to make arrangements for joining the army or the national guard, or, failing in that, to arrange for carrying on some work for the Nation while still in civil life. "Such a course is the only one in view of the announcement of President Wilson," says the statement, "and while I regret that it has been found necessary to adopt that policy, I believe that we should all at this time if only by obedience to that properly constituted authority. I therefore urge that all those men who had enrolled themselves in the division which I hoped to be able to raise, will regard themselves as being freed of their obligation and will adopt the only course that remains open to us, prepare to join the army or navy, or to serve the Nation in some civilian capacity."

## Stockholm Is Furious Over Ruthless Sinking of Ships

Whole City Aroused To Fiercy Anger By the Murderous Destruction of Three Grain Steamers By German Submarines; Spain Also Grows Angry

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

STOCKHOLM, May 21.—The news that the Swedish steamers, Vesterland, Aspen and the Viken, carrying grain from Great Britain to Sweden had been deliberately destroyed by German submarines has stirred this city to the most intense manifestation of indignation for years. The news came in late Saturday night and yesterday swept over the entire city.

There was so far as can be learned no excuse for the sinking of the steamers other than the German campaign of frightfulness, and this coupled with the later news that eight members of the crew of the Viken and two sailors on the Vesterland had been drowned added to the indignation felt in all circles here.

The Aspen was a steamer of 1799 tons net, and was commanded by Captain Lejonhult. The Vesterland, commanded by Captain Williams, was larger craft registering 2130 tons net, while the Viken was a new ship of only 1086 tons, and was commanded by Captain Lungren.

## SPAIN PLANS MONSTER DEMONSTRATION FOR ALLIES

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

PARIS, May 21.—Despatches from Madrid reaching here yesterday, reported that plans are under way in the Spanish capital for a monster demonstration in favor of the Entente Allies and against Germany. The date yet to be fixed. It is expected that several thousand troops will be needed to guard the streets of Madrid and see that the nation's neutrality is not violated in any way.

## FRENCH STEAMER SUNK BY DIVER IN MEDITERRANEAN

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

PARIS, May 21.—The French steamer Colbert has been torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean, according to information made public last night by the ministry. The submarine attack is reported to have taken place April 30. Fifty-one members of the ship's crew were lost, including the commander. The Colbert was a large passenger carrier.

## STATES GET READY FOR REGISTRATION

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The work of getting ready for the selective draft is going forward apace throughout the nation. Last night officials of the war department announced that nearly forty-one States have reported that the preparations for complete registration have been finished and that the task of taking the names can begin at any time the President orders.

# RACING AUTO LANDS MAN IN HOSPITAL

James Santos Suffers Fractured Arm and Scalp Wound In Smash-up

Racing an automobile on the public highway was fraught with disastrous results to James Santos, a foreman of the Honolulu Construction & Draying Company, yesterday afternoon. As the result of a smash-up, so called, Santos is lying in Queen's Hospital with a fractured left arm and a bad scalp wound, which may mean a fracture of the skull.

According to statements made by Miss T. K. Murphy and Police Officer W. F. Brown, G. Bushnell, driving Ford No. 2099, and James Santos, driving Ford No. 1087, both owned by the Honolulu Construction & Draying Company, were racing along Thirteenth Street, going East, his car skidded seventy feet and struck a telephone pole on the north side of Green Street. Santos was thrown out of the car, his head striking the sidewalk with great force. The automobile was completely wrecked. In the car at the time were C. W. Young and a small child, who escaped with minor injuries.

The injured man was taken to the emergency hospital and thence to Queen's Hospital.

## CHINESE SOLONS OPPOSED TO WAR

Insist That Premier Tuan Must Resign and That the Cabinet Must Be Reformed

(Associated Press by Commercial Cable)

PEKING, May 21.—The Chinese house of representatives has refused to consider any war measures until Premier Tuan and the minister of war resign and the entire cabinet has been reorganized.

Opposition to Premier Tuan and his war policy is developing, according to reports received here recently. Ever since the members of parliament were received by the premier at his campaign in party, the Chinese democrats are said to have been special activity against a declaration of war.

Entertaining the parliament members, Tuan appealed to his guests to support the cabinet's war proposal, and was apparently assured of support. It now seems that Tuan's advanced opinion of autocracy instead of democracy for war, and it is feared that friction will arise between parliament and the cabinet when the war issue comes up for consideration. That there is some apprehension of this is indicated in the postponement of the resolution's introduction into the house of representatives.

## MOVIES TO SHOW LIFE OF PACIFIC ISLANDS

Moving pictures of native life from all the shores of the Pacific will be a feature of the Festival of Pele, which is being organized for the night of Kamehameha Day. These pictures have been supplied by the governments interested. Streets are being laid out on the grounds of the Old Plantation, King Street, with the idea of creating for the season a cosmopolitan village with a byway for each of the Pacific nations. A dancing floor is being put in and other features are expected to make the "village" the center of interest during the coming Hawaiian holiday.

## SLIP OF THE FINGER MAKES MUTE PILKIA

John Hui, a deaf mute, living on Ala Street, got into an after-dinner altercation with a couple of other Hawaiians, on Ala Street, yesterday afternoon. Hui was explaining his argument so vigorously in sign language that he stuck his finger in the eye of one of the other arguers, which so incensed him that they fell on him and beat him sorely. At the emergency hospital it was found that Hui has sustained among other facial disfigurements, a broken nose.

## AUTO SKIDS

While automobile No. 865 was being driven on Nuuanu Avenue by A. Mitchell, yesterday afternoon, it skidded, about six hundred yards of Wylie Street, and swung around toward the curb, the left rear wheel being smashed.

# POLICEMAN SHOT SOLDIER IS HELD

Pearl City Officer, Seriously Wounded In Fracas With Two Enlisted Men

As the result of a shooting affray at Pearl City last night, Maxine Johnson, is in Queen's Hospital with three bullet wounds in his body, and Cuy C. Harris, headquarters company, Thirty-second Infantry, is booked at the police station and held under suspicion of having done the shooting.

The affair took place at Pearl City station and close by the branch line leading to the Peninsula.

From statements made by the police last night, Police Officer James K. Keonani Jr., stationed at Pearl City, attempted to arrest Harris and another soldier named Waldo E. Cape, also a member of headquarters company, Thirty-second Infantry, for some breach of the peace.

The soldiers are reported to have resisted the officer, who called for help. His cries for assistance were answered by Johnson, and the two grappled with the soldiers. In the melee one of the soldiers fired a revolver three times, each shot taking effect in Johnson's body, one piercing the right side and coming out at the back, another entering the right groin and coming out at the buttock, and the third shot smashing Johnson's left elbow.

Immediately after the shooting the soldiers fled. Word was at once telephoned to the Honolulu police station for the ambulance to be sent out, and on its arrival Johnson was taken to Queen's Hospital, where at an early hour this morning it was stated that he was doing very well.

Meanwhile Police Officer Keonani, Deputy Sheriff Jack Fernandez of the Ewa district, and a number of others organized a posse and the search for the two soldiers commenced.

Fernandez made all haste to reach Waipahu station, figuring that the men might have gone there in order to board a train to Honolulu. At the station he found Harris, and placed him under arrest. No weapon was found on his person. Harris was in civilian attire when arrested.

Fernandez then got hold of an automobile and brought his man to Honolulu, where he was placed in the lock-up. At the police station, when Harris was searched, three 38-cal. revolver bullets were found in a pocket of his coat. Asked by Fernandez to make a statement as to who did the shooting and how he came to have the cartridges in his pocket, Harris said:

"Waldo E. Cape of my company, did the shooting. I saw him shoot. He fired three shots from a 38-cal. blue-steel revolver. The reason why I had the shells in my pocket was because Cape asked me to hold them for him."

While Harris was making his statement to Capt. Dan Kanehale, in the receiving station, McDuffie, of the detective department, butted in, and, in the tone which he would apply to a dog, growled at Fernandez, "Take that man upstairs." He appeared to resent the presence of a newspaperman who happened to be in the receiving station at the time.

## VERNON AYAU RELEASED BY SEATTLE BALL CLUB

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

SEATTLE, May 21.—Vernon Ayau, the Chinese shortstop, has been released by the Seattle baseball team, Manager Bill Leard of the Seattle team of the Northwest League found Ayau in Honolulu and brought him here last February.

## SLAIN AVIATOR WAS WELL KNOWN HERE

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

News of the death of Captain Melchior Eberts at Columbus, New Mexico last week came as a shock to the young officers on duty here, many of whom had known him intimately at West Point. From which institution Eberts graduated in 1915, and assigned to the Third Infantry. He entered the aviation corps only five months ago, and completed his course of instruction there on April 30, at which time he was ordered to report to the commanding officer of the First Aero Squadron at Columbus, New Mexico for duty with it. He was flying as a passenger with another army officer when the machine fell and Eberts was killed.

## MANGO TREE SHEDS ONE SMALL MANGO SEEKER

(Associated Press By U. S. Naval Communication Service)

This is the time of the year when mango trees commence to shed small boys, as well as the luscious greenish-gold globules, for which they are famed. Yesterday afternoon, while twelve-year-old Tommy Wilson, was foraging among the branches of a tree on Alapai Lane, a rotten branch gave way and Tommy fell to the ground. The boy's left arm was badly smashed, and the elbow dislocated. He was sent from the emergency hospital to Queen's Hospital.

## COLDS CAUSE HEADACHES

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# PRUSSIAN PLANNING EMPIRE OF WORLD NOW

Secret Conspiracy To Dominate All of Europe Revealed By Information Now In the Hands of State Department Officials

WASHINGTON, May 21.—That Germany is planning another colossal falsehood in an effort to trick the world is the gist of information which the state department here has made public. In brief this plan is to issue a peace term pronouncement through the medium of an address by the chancellor, while at the same time arrangements for the formation of a great Mittel Europa, which is to be the backbone of a Prussianized state running from the North Sea and the Baltic to the Aegean Sea and the Dardanelles, are to be carried out with all possible speed and secrecy.

It is understood here that the peace address of the chancellor, which has been delayed for a number of times, although repeatedly announced, will outline a program of territorial renunciation on both the east and the west frontiers of Germany. This is intended merely as a blind however, and to strengthen the Germanophile elements in the United States and other nations at war with the Hun autocracy.

Here official circles regard the information of the secret plans of the Wilhelmstrasse which is well authenticated, as being amply sufficient to answer the peace talk of the kaiser's chief spokesman. The true inwardness of the German plans stands revealed, they declare, by this information.

That the kaiserbund intends the formation and unification of a great Prussian monarchial state stretching from the shores of the Baltic and the North Sea to the Aegean and Constantinople is practically certain. The plans already well under way contemplate the consolidation of the military and economic units included in the present German Empire and in Austria-Hungary and the nations which have been engulfed by the Hun tide since the outbreak of the war.

The full realization of this gigantic conspiracy, greater by far than anything else the Germans have yet dreamed of formally attempting but urged for many years by the Pan-German writers in the Fatherland and elsewhere, has come home to the officials of the administration here and it was pointed out last night that it means the Allies have a tremendously difficult task before them before they can set their foot on the throat of the Prussian oligarchy.

The situation thus created, or to be created by the revelation of these plans adds fresh weight to the words of the President, when he declared that the "world must be made safe for democracy." It also adds strength to the declaration of the allied governments that the projected "peace" proposals which the chancellor intended to make public are but the mouthings of a man determined to falsify in order to trick his opponent.

Incidentally the situation brings out in a stronger light the claims which the experts have been making that the United States has embarked upon a war that quite possibly may drag through its course for three more weary years.